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Title: INTEGRATED CIRCUITS USING OPTICAL FIBER INTERCONNECTS FORMED THROUGH A SEMICONDUCTOR WAFER AND METHODS FOR FORMING SAME

REMARKS

Claim 1 is canceled, and new claims 39-82 are pending. Please charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0743. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's attorney at 612-373-6975 to facilitate the prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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